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Russia

On December 14, 2007, Russia's Ministry of Economic Development and Trade announced the distribution of 25% of the guotas for imports of pork, beef and poultry meat in 2008. A quarter of the import quota for poultry meat, amounting to 302,900 metric tons (MT), includes 225.350 MT to the United States: 59.100 MT to the EU: 1,250 MT to Paraguay; and 17,200 MT to other countries. The total 2008 allocation for the United States is 901,400 MT. The remainder of the TRQ will be announced by March 1, 2008.

The 25% allocations were based on January-September 2007 import data by individual companies and the full allocation will be distributed in proportion to the amount imported between January 1 and December 31, 2007.

Allocations of 25% of the Quota on Poultry Meat Import (TN VED code 0207) for 2008 (Federal Customs Committee data)

| | USA | EU | Paraguay | Others | Total |
|---------|---------|---------|----------|--------|-----------|
| 1st qtr | 225,350 | 59,100 | 1,250 | 17,200 | 302,900 |
| Annual | 901,400 | 236,400 | 5,000 | 68,800 | 1,211,600 |

On November 17, 2007 the Russian Customs Service published a new list of ports of entry authorized to hand imports of meat and meat products. The decision to restrict points for meat and meat products imports was made for safety monitoring. The list goes into effect 90 days from the date of publication. Missing from the list was the Baltiysky customs post in St. Petersburg which handles about 80 percent of total Russian meat imports. Many ports in the Russian Far East Customs Directorate and the North West Customs Directorate, were also missing from the list.

Russian Far East: Imports of Red Meat and Poultry Meat, 2002-2006

| | Red | Meat | Poult | ry Meat |
|------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| Year | MT | \$1,000 | MT | \$1,000 |
| 2002 | 5,729 | 5,900 | 15,000 | 9,822 |
| 2003 | 3,239 | 3,823 | 17,898 | 8,476 |
| 2004 | 3,704 | 4,907 | 11,377 | 7,936 |
| 2005 | 7,728 | 11,307 | 17,134 | 13,902 |
| 2006 | 97,280 | 194,063 | 55,560 | 40,488 |
| | | | | |

Source: Russian Federal Customs Service

Russia: Total Poultry Imports (H.S. code 0207)

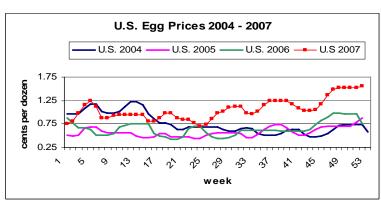
| | Januai | ry-Decembe | January-October | | |
|--------|---------|------------|-----------------|---------|---------|
| | 2006 | 2005 | 2004 | 2007 | 2006 |
| Volume | 1,273.7 | 1,318.3 | 1,101.2 | 1,034.1 | 1,028.4 |
| Value | 921.3 | 847.6 | 663.5 | 824.8 | 730.1 |

Volume in thousand tons. Value in million US\$

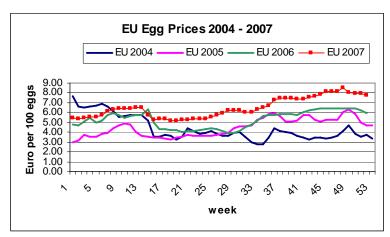
Source: Russian Federal Customs Service, Foreign Trade Statistics

In a press release on December 10, 2007 forty-four customs authorities were determined that would be involved in declaring meat and meat products beginning from February 15, 2008. The basic requirement is a temporary storage warehouse located in the area of the customs authority operations that is equipped in accordance with the requirements of the technical regulations legislation. The Far East Customs Directorate and the North West Customs Directorate are currently jointly looking into the issue of amending this list of customs authorities.

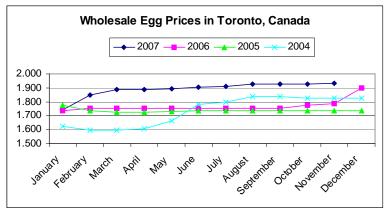
Source: USDA/FAS Attaché Report (not official data); Russian Federal Customs Service, various news wires



Large, white eggs in cartons, Northeast, USDA, AMS, Poultry Programs, Market News & Analysis Branch



Large white graded loose, Weser-Ems



Large eggs in cartons, wholesale average price

Source: Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, AISD, AID, Poultry Section

INSPECTED EGG PRODUCTS-U.S. & CANADA IMPORT/EXPORT TRADE

AND

U.S./CANADIAN LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTERED UNDER INSPECTION

For Week Ending December 22, 2007

*** Due to the Holiday in Canada the information for these reports is not yet available.

It will be released as soon as possible.***

On January 4, 2008 - The Central and Eastern Region MSC reports will be combined into the new National Mechanically Separated Chicken report and will no longer be available as a separate report. Until then, the new National MSC report will run concurrently and may be viewed at: http://www.ams.usda.gov/poultry/mncs/PDF%20Reports/MSC/msc.htm

<u>MECHANICALLY SEPARATED CHICKEN</u> PRICES NEGOTIATED, FOB SHIPPER DOCK OR EQUIVALENT, IN TRUCKLOT AND LESS THAN TRUCKLOT VOLUMES, CENTS PER POUND, DELIVERY WITHIN TWO WEEKS.

| EASTERN REGION | | | December 28, 2007 | | CENTRAL REGION | | | December 28, 2007 | |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|---|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------|
| CHICKEN WITH SKIN ADDED PRICES FAT | | VOLUME | | CHICKEN WITH SKIN ADDED PRICES | | | VOLUME | | |
| CONTENT | FROZEN | FRESH | TOTAL | EXPORT | CONTENT | FROZEN | FRESH | TOTAL | EXPORT |
| 15% OR LESS RANGE WTD AVERAGE | 15.75 15.75 | 15.00-16.00 15.50 | 214,000 | 54,000 | 15% OR LESS RANGE WTD AVERAGE | - | 16.00 16.00 | 61,200 | - |
| 15-20% RANGE WTD AVERAGE | 16.00-21.00 17.81 | 11.00-16.00 13.70 | 1,640,000 | 1,040,000 | 15-20% RANGE WTD AVERAGE | 17.00 17.00 | 11.00-15.25 12.13 | 1,403,600 | 567,200 |
| 20% OR MORE RANGE WTD AVERAGE | - : | - | | | 20% OR MORE RANGE WTD AVERAGE | - | - | - | - |
| * INCLUDES THE STATES of CT, DE, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, SC, VA, VT, WV | | | | * INCLUDES THE STATES of AL, AR, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, MI, MN, MO, MS, ND, NE, OK, OH, SD, TN, TX, WI | | | | | |

<u>NATIONAL YOUNG TURKEY PARTS</u>, INCLUDING BULK MEAT and FROZEN (UNLESS SPECIFIED), CENTS PER LB., DELIVERED FIRST RECEIVERS, PART AND FULL TRUCKLOTS AS OF 28 DECEMBER 2007.

The market tone on tom breast meat was steady to instances weak, balance of items mostly steady. Demand was slow. Offerings were mixed. Parts trading was slow. Demand was light to moderate with most interest noted for export. Offering are mixed due to varied kill schedules. Domestic; fresh scapula 82-86 cents, fresh breast trim 128 cents, fresh wing meat 83 cents, 20-24 lb. plant grade breast basted 175, and small packages of 10-24 lb. A grade basted 1.85-2.00 cents. Export: frozen tom breast meat 185-193 cents delivered.

| EXPORT TRADING FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 2007 DRUMSTICKS, TOMS WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM TAILS | PRICE RANGE 57.00 | L.S.T. CODE 1/ F F R | WTD AVG PRICE 57.00 49.00 58.00 29.00 | VOLUME (000) 40 108 54 156 | WEEKLY WTD AVG PRICE 57.00 | WEEKLY VOLUME (000) 40 |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 2/ THIGH MEAT - FROZEN | 16.00 98.00 | | 16.00 98.00 | 80 80 | 16.00 98.00 | 80 80 |
| EXPORT TRADING THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2007 DRUMSTICKS, TOMS WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM TAILS MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 2/ THIGH MEAT - FROZEN | PRICE RANGE 29.00 | L.S.T. CODE 1/ F F F F | WTD AVG PRICE 57.75 49.00 58.00 29.00 16.83 97.67 | VOLUME (000) 80 108 54 156 240 120 | | |
| EXPORT TRADING WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 2007 DRUMSTICKS, TOMS WINGS FULL-CUT - TOMS WINGS, V-TYPE, TOM TAILS MECHANICALLY SEPARATED 2/ | PRICE RANGE | L.S.T. CODE 1/ F F F | WTD AVG PRICE 57.75 49.00 58.00 | VOLUME (000) 80 108 54 | | |
| THIGH MEAT - FROZEN | | F | 97.67 | 120 | | |

NO EXPORT TRADING ON DECEMBER 24 & DECEMBER 25, 2007 DUE TO CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

^{1/} CODES FOR LAST SIGNIFICANT TRADE (L.S.T.): M=MONDAY T=TUESDAY W=WEDNESDAY R-THURSDAY F=FRIDAY 2/ Product contains 15/20% fat with skin added.